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Board of Trade Annual Meeting Held Wednesday

THE CANADIAN MEMORIAL AT VIMY

The Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion B.E.S.L. has received an engraving based on the oil painting by Wm. Longstaff. The original painting now hangs in the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa, and was presented to the Canadian Government by Captain John Dewar, Perth, Scotland, as also were the engravings.

War Memorial Meeting

A public meeting will be held in the Fire Hall on Tuesday, 4th of April, at 8 p.m., to decide on the design and site of the memorial.

Business goes where it is invited and stays where it is made welcome.

O. E. Jones Heads Board for 1939

War Memorial Discussed

Although poorly attended, the annual meeting of the Crossfield and District Board of Trade, which was held Wednesday evening, in the dining room of the Oliver Hotel, a great deal of business was transacted. Secretary Edlund read the minutes of the last meeting, which, after some discussion, were adopted.

President T. Tredaway spoke for a few minutes on the work of the Board, taking the committees one at a time, telling what they had done and how the Board as a whole had attended to many worthy projects.

War Memorial

R. D. Sutherland informed the meeting that over three hundred dollars had been collected for the War Memorial, which will be erected as soon as possible. He also showed the members a drawing of an attractive Memorial, which would be finished in white English cement, with steps leading to it.

The local village park was suggested for this memorial, just north west of the tennis courts. This would not interfere with any sports and is a high spot so that water would not have to be contended with during the wet spells. Suggestions as to having this memorial in the C.P.R. plot, opposite the Oliver Hotel, were considered, and it was decided to interview the heads and find out whether or not permission would be granted in either case.

The meeting was unanimously in favour of the Village park.

Oiling Street

A motion was made to recommend to the Village council that, if funds permit, the main street be oiled this coming summer. The same motion included the grading of the south entrance to the Village.

May 26 Preparations

At a meeting held some time ago, H. May was elected secretary.

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Board of Trade Dance

The next Board of Trade dance will be held Friday, March 31st, and it is expected a good crowd will turn out and assist this worthy organization.

The floor has been 'sanded and waxed' making it very smooth and suitable for the best dances. This is the best dance floor Crossfield has ever had, so a good time should be enjoyed Friday night.

BASEBALL MEETING

WEDNESDAY NEXT

A meeting of the juvenile ballers will be held in the Oliver Cafe Wednesday evening next, at 8:00 o'clock. All interested in this sport are asked to be out and make plans, etc., for the coming season.

night.

It is expected that these monthly dances of the Board will continue.

Curling Club Annual Meeting; Election of Officers; Oyster Dinner; New Curling Rink Mooted

Local Ministers Attend Ministerial Fellowship

The Rev. A. D. Currie and Rev. S. R. Hunt attended the Ministerial Fellowship at Didsbury United Church on Monday afternoon. Rev. O. Rollis gave a paper which was a partial book review, presenting the claim that the educational system is tending to take up more and more of the pupils' time in the intellectual, physical and social approach to life with the result that the home and church are not allowed time to present the moral and spiritual approach. The student then begins to consider that the emphasis is upon the important approach; the intellectual, social and physical.

The home and church must not abdicate their function and (turn to page 2). See Ministers Attend

Pupils Entertain Mothers and Friends

Friday, March 24th, the pupils of room 1 entertained their mothers and friends. After the small chairman had welcomed the visitors, she introduced the program of choral recitation, singing and other school work to an appreciative audience. A complete Eskimo village was displayed by Grade I, and Grades II and III took part in a play which they had adapted themselves from a supplementary book.

After the programme lunch was served by the pupils.

The Crossfield Curling Club wound up a very successful season with the Annual Meeting held in the Curling Rink last week, at which the Election of Officers was the principle item of business. It was also the occasion of the annual oyster feed, provided by the losers of the President vs. Vice-President match. The losers this year were captained by President D. W. Carmichael, who presided at the function. The Ladies Curling Club members prepared and served the very excellent dinner, which was heartily enjoyed by all.

The Officers and executive were elected as follows:

Hon-Pres, F. A. Purvis; President, Chas. Fox; Vice-President, P. H. Fleming; Sec.-Treas., G. F. Purvis; Executive, Mayor W. J. Wood, Alf Stevens, Wm. Stralo D. Ontkes.

The club was found to have improved its financial position again and the sum of \$100 was transferred to Building Trust Fund, bringing the total to \$325, and leaving a balance in Current account of approximately \$70.

New Building

Realizing the need of a suitable curling rink to replace the present out-moded rink, built by the Village in 1920, plans for a new rink and methods of financing same were discussed by the meeting at large. The meeting resolved that a committee of three members be appointed by (continued on page 8) See—

Curling Meeting

John I. McFarland Speaks at Unity Movement Meeting Held in Crossfield Friday

F. Armour Ford, of Edmonton, told a meeting of more than 100 residents of the Crossfield district last Friday afternoon that although he had been an active Liberal worker for many years, he was now an active supporter of the Unity movement, because he did not think the Liberal party had a chance of defeating the "social credit" government.

Also speaking on the same platform was John I. McFarland, chairman of the Unity Council of Alberta, who said that if he did not believe the farmers wanted Unity to succeed, he would resign.

The meeting was held in the U.F.A. Hall, under the chairmanship of O. E. Jones of Crossfield. It was sponsored by the Crossfield Unity Association of the Cochrane Constituency. Other speakers were E. W. Brunsden, secretary of the Unity Council; F. S. Grisdale of Olds, a member of the council, and William Auxier of Edmonton.

Large Attendance

The chairman expressed pleasure at the large attendance. He stated that many were prevented from attending by the condition of the country roads.

Mr. Ford, a member of the Edmonton Unity Association, stressed the fact that the movement had no thought of dictating to the individual constituencies. It was a spontaneous movement arising in the con-

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School Requisitions Made on Municipalities

At the meeting of the ward of the Olds School Division which was held at Didsbury on Friday and Saturday last the secretary reported that requisitions had been made on the Municipal Districts in which the school division was located for a total amount of \$108,528.

The amounts from the different municipalities were:

Mountain View \$27,281.55

Westerdale \$19,819.22

Rosebud \$22,646.36

See School Requisitions page 7.

Long Illness Fatal To Mrs. A. Dipple

Christinia Dipple, 52 years, of 447 Marsh Road, died in an Edmonton hospital yesterday after a lengthy illness. She had lived in Calgary and the Crossfield district for the past 10 years.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Donald Carson, Esther and Adelia of Calgary; eight sons, James, John, George, Christopher, Alexander, Jack, Fred, and Manuel; her husband, Alender; two sisters, Mrs. Conrad Kraft of Alhambra, and one in Russia a brother, William Pahl of Richdale, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Moravian church at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Burial will be in the Burnsland cemetery.

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CROSSFIELD, THURSDAY, MARCH 30, 1939

Where Is Democracy Going?

"Extreme danger to all the democratic countries in the world is that they are all absolutely out of step with each other; also a needed estimate of dissention and apathy is required as they are incalculable factors." So says H. G. Wells in Liberty.

A move towards Nazism is strongly marked even in Canada; Mr. Manion desires to enforce the Padlock Law of Quebec all over Canada; the Bill went in front of the House on Saturday. Should that Bill pass, which is probable, that gives the powers that are right to open your mail, my mail, or your childrens mail, in case there should be any form of communistic literature enclosed. That, in my opinion, is one of the rottenest forms of Nazism. The men in power today, if given an inch, will certainly take an ell. Perhaps that is only human nature, but if the people of Canada allow either Communism or Nazism to get a foothold in Canada, then it will be their own fault, brought about by their own apathy on one side and rotten selfishness and ruthless money control on the other.

—Garrett

Water Aplenty

There was plenty of water Wednesday evening last, when a little boy was taken to the middle of a large pond (which had been formed by the fast thaw a few days earlier) on a raft and then told to stand on a fence, and the boys (who happened to be some of the local high school pupils) said they would come back for him. As the story goes, the small boy's mother was worried when he did not show up at his bed time and was greatly surprised some time later to find him soaking wet. He had finally waded to the shore and gone home.

Since this happened we have not heard whether or not the victim had contracted a cold, but, if the culprits have not contracted something, the men of the Village should make an example of them.

Goozles

A fresh young fellow passing the stop sign.

The stop sign at the Bank is facing the wrong direction.

We have been informed that it was Corporal Cameron. Who's next?

Never have we seen A. W. Gordon stop his car or run as fast, as when he mailed a letter on the south bound train last Wednesday.

The latest is that Norman is erecting a new sign on his Barber Shop, "By Royal Appointment".

Never ask anyone to do something for you when you can do it yourself.

The sun wasn't shining well enough on Community Sale Day so Cal was looking for some moonshine.

The Publishets, becoming hayseeds.

Someone rescuing a small boy from the clutches of a turkey. Another feather in the hat!

The Ladies Aid of the United Church have secured the Crescent Heights Choir of 35 voices to present a Sacred Cantata, on Good Friday evening.

J. N. Johnson was a Calgary business visitor Tuesday afternoon.

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

Palm Sunday Services next Sunday, 11:15 a.m., at Madden.

At Crossfield, in the evening, there will also be reception of new members and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

April 7th, Good Friday, 8:00 p.m., Lenten Service.

Easter Novelties & Candies

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25c, 50c, 60c, and up

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Edlund's Drug Store

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The Rexall Store

Unity Meeting in Crossfield

[continued from page one] to me." Mr. McFarland continued, "as well as to thousands of others, that the leaders of the C.C.F. and Liberal provincial parties have thus far refrained from joining in a political holiday on political affairs.

He stated that the people need have no fear that if the movement were successful the government would be reactionary or conservative in its outlook. The province would be run on a businesslike basis, and the problem of farm debts would be faced—"and not through moratoria."

In his address, Mr. McFarland denied that he was seeking political advantage for any party, or that he had any personal political ambitions.

He said: "When I accepted my chairmanship, it was my desire and purpose to do my part to co-ordinate the people of all political provincial groups who believed we should construct and operate our government on business principles, rather than on a partisan basis, or on financial political theories. That was, and still remains, my vision."

Split in Two Groups

Mr. McFarland said that Albertans were divided into two groups: those who preferred the leadership of a party which is "forever blowing bubbles and advocating shortcuts to economic security and prosperity," and those forces which opposed that leadership. One of the opposing forces is known as Unity, he said.

"By retiring from the political field, the U.F.A. has released its followers, so that the membership is now free to support whatever group they choose. I want to say here what I have contended on many occasions in the past, and that is, the U.F.A. gave this province good government."

"Agriculture occupies the most important place in our economy and I hope the next elected government will consist of a large percentage of men and women who are nominated and elected by the farming interests of Alberta."

"I believe the Unity Movement provides our agriculturists with a wonderful opportunity to assist in giving to this province a progressive and efficient administration of our affairs. Our future, as well as our past, depends on our farmers, and if I did not believe they wanted this movement to succeed, I would resign at once as chairman of the Unity Council."

Disappointed in Liberals, C.C.F.

"It is a great disappointment

to me." Mr. McFarland continued, "as well as to thousands of others, that the leaders of the C.C.F. and Liberal provincial parties have thus far refrained from joining in a political holiday on political affairs.

"The leaders of these two groups are well aware that the people are divided into two groups on provincial affairs, namely, those who want an efficient, honest and progressive administration, and on the other hand, those who would sacrifice efficiency and confidence and practical ideals on the altar of fantastic theories. I still entertain the hope that all groups will put first things first.

"I have been told that it is charged that McFarland is a Tory, and therefore, the Unity movement is a Conservative organization. One of the answers to that charge is found in the names of the members of the provincial Unity Council. It is an actual fact Liberals predominate on the council, but there is no suggestion that it is a Liberal movement. I would say this is a patriotic movement, and what is more, it is a truly democratic movement. The people who are interested in Unity have placed province before party. The very basis of this movement is controlled by the people. It is democratic from the grass roots up."

Mr. Grisdale said that the movement stood for sound policies to maintain the people in their homes and on their farms, even more strongly than did the "social credit" party.

Mr. Brunsden stated that although no attempt was being made to organize the province from headquarters, the movement was making satisfactory growth.

Mr. Auxier, who accompanied Mr. Ford from Edmonton, stated that Unity was a movement "of, by, and for the people." No attempt or desire existed to foist anything on anyone, he said.

Ministers Attend

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must constructively resist the implied suggestion that the moral and spiritual are excess baggage. A most interesting discussion followed.

Mrs. Hunt joined some of the ladies at the United Church manse during the afternoon. Mrs. Geeson served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

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Local and General

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Messrs. F. Laut and J. G. Harrison each shipped a car-load of cattle this week.

Remember the Board o' Trade next regular monthly dance this Friday, April 31st.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim L. Williamson, of Dog Pound, on March 19th, a son.

Miss Olive Stauffer spent the weekend at Olds visiting friends and taking in the Achievement Day, Saturday.

We hear that the old Havens brick garage has changed hands and the new owner will commence renovation shortly.

Post Office wickets will be open from 10 to 11 a.m. on Good Friday, April 7th, and Easter Monday, April 10th.

Mrs. Jones and son of Calgary are visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crocker.

The Misses Alice Ontkes, Stella and Alma Gordon, all of Calgary, were weekend visitors at their respective homes here.

Owing to inclement weather Saturday last, the annual community sale was not as great an event as it should have been.

Arnold High brought in 3 24-inch seed drills Saturday last, which were purchased from W. Laut by R. T. Amery.

Mrs. G. Stiles, of Edmonton, spent last weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Methelal.

We understand that a Unity meeting will be held in Cochrane this coming week. With the roads now dry, a large attendance is expected.

The United Church Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. F. Purvis Wednesday next April 5th. A good attendance is requested.

CORRECTION: In last week's obituary headed, "Another Oltimer Passes," the names of two daughters, Mrs. H. Robinson and Gwen, of Carstairs, were inadvertently missed.

The April meeting of the Floral U.F.W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Stafford on Wednesday, the 12th, Roll call; name a flower beginning with your own initial.

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Most wheat varieties tend naturally to cross with each other; whenever this occurs a veritable stream of hybrids are blown off, many of them poor in yield and poor in quality. Year after year these undesirable new strains increase, resulting event-

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Oddities.

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Among experiments in meeting the grave problem of providing decent homes for the ill-housed Americans, one of the most interesting is that going forward in Fort Wayne, Ind., which has a population of 122,000. The major obstacle to building homes to rent at prices that poorest families can pay is the high cost of urban land. Like most other cities, Fort Wayne had scores of lots, vacant, or occupied by dilapidated buildings, on the fringes of the industrial and "business" sections—eating up taxes while their owners held them for a building boom. Last year the Fort Wayne Housing Authority approached these owners with a brand-new scheme. It offered to lift the tax burden by "buying" the lots at \$1.00 each, with the provision the owner could buy them back anytime he wishes. Then the Authority set about devising ways and means to erect low-cost houses. The finally constructed pre-fabricated buildings that could be erected in three hours, and rented at \$2.50 per week.

usually in severe money losses to the farmer.

Different varieties of wheat grown on one farm, therefore, should be kept separate from each other by a wide runway, either of clean land, or by a drill row of Oats, and even then the greatest of care must be taken in seeding, harvesting and threshing, so that the different varieties do not become mixed with each other.

It is much better, however, I suggest, for a farmer to grow only one variety on a large scale, and then let the Institutions do the experimental work.

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Madden Notes

A very pleasant evening was spent at the Madden Hall, on Wednesday, March 22nd, when a community shower was held Mrs. M. Aaskow (nee Miss Fancy Cameron). The hall was decorated with pink and white streamers.

The evening was enjoyably spent at games for both old and young, after which a dainty lunch was served by the Madden Ladies.

A toy hay rack, also decorated in pink and white, and loaded with gifts under a slight covering of hay, was pulled in by Allan Hugerty and Billy Tidball.

On behalf of the Madden Ladies Club and district, Mrs. Bauta expressed the good wishes to the bride and groom, to which Mrs. Aaskow fittingly replied.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Swanby and Tom were Calgary visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lila Havens, who has been visiting with relatives in California for the past six months returned home on Sunday.

The wedding dance of Mr. and

Mrs. M. Aaskow on Friday, March 24th, was very well attended and enjoyed by all. A purse, as a token of the community's best wishes, was presented to the happy couple.



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Should the disease occur in Alberta this year and follow the course that it has taken elsewhere, we may expect it to be of a more virulent form and more wide-spread than it was during the past season when it occurred in more or less restricted areas. For these reasons, it is essential that farmers and horsemen acquire all the information they can regarding the preventive measures that may be taken.

Vaccination has been found to be the most effective method of control. Experiments conducted in Canada and the United States uphold this statement. The administration of vaccine, however, is a preventive, not a cure, and vaccination to be effective must be done BEFORE the disease is contracted.

The first entirely satisfactory vaccine was developed for use on a large scale in 1938. It is known as "Chick" vaccine and large quantities of it are now available in the prairie provinces under a co-operative arrangement made between the governments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, and the manufacturers - the Lederle Laboratories in New York, and Cuters Laboratory in Berkeley, California.

Therefore, there is at our disposal a positive means of preventing an outbreak of this disease on a large scale. The price of the vaccine, including the cost of administration, will not exceed one dollar per horse. Therefore, it ought to be possible for the majority of the farmers in Alberta to vaccinate most of

their horses. Vaccine properly administered assures protection for a period of six months. Two doses must be given, from seven to fourteen days apart, during the month of April and will provide immunity until fall. It should be pointed out that two doses of vaccine are necessary for complete protection.

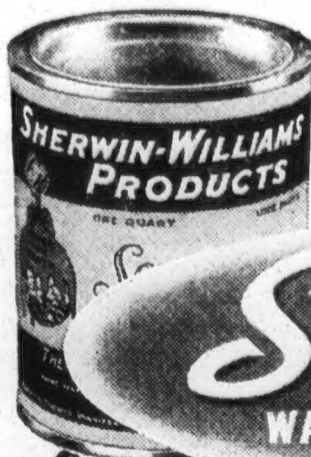
Vaccine will be available at drug stores, municipal offices and from registered veterinarians in Alberta. Qualified veterinarians will administer the vaccine, but in districts where the veterinarian is not available, arrangements have been made for some other authorized person to receive special instructions on the proper procedure for vaccinating animals.

Authorities agree that mares in foal may be vaccinated with safety, providing the vaccine is properly administered. Young foals are very susceptible to the disease, and the department recommends that they be vaccinated when two or three days old providing they are normal at this time. Only about one-quarter of the dose for an adult horse should be administered to a young foal.

Farmers and horse owners are warned to be on guard against unqualified persons advocating the use of any other than "Chick" vaccine. The Department of Agriculture has recommended the use of this product only after careful study and investigation, and as far as can be ascertained at the present time, there is no other form of vaccine which is satisfactory.

In conclusion, the Department of Agriculture strongly urges that all horse owners vaccinate their horses with "Chick" vaccine during the month of April. If this done, there will be little chance of an outbreak causing

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S. J. GILSON, Sec. Treas.,
Olds School Division No. 31
Didsbury, Alberta.

Province of Alberta Department of Agriculture



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Experts agree that the outbreak of this disease is likely to reach its peak in Alberta this summer.

VACCINATION

is the only recommended preventive treatment.

PROCEDURE

1. Vaccinate all horses with "Chick" vaccine during the month of April.
2. Two doses of vaccine are required, given from seven to fourteen days apart.
3. Vaccine is available at drug stores, municipal offices and from qualified veterinarians. Cost for both doses—75c.
4. A qualified veterinarian, or if one is not available, some other authorized person should be obtained to administer the vaccine.
5. Farmers wishing to do so may vaccinate their own horses.

["Chick" vaccine properly administered will produce immunity for six months.]

Warning!

Vaccine is effective only when given prior to outbreak of the disease.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WRITE TO

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HON. D. B. MULLEN, J. R. SWEENEY, DR. P. R. TALBOT,
Minister Deputy Minister Prov. Veterinarian

BOARD OF TRADE

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to Messrs. T. Tredaway for his past services as president and as chairman of a very important committee this year; to Secretary Edlund for his good work in the past and again accepting the secretarial work; and Mr. E. H. Waterhouse for the use of the dining room.

Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting was not decided upon, but will be in the next few days, and we ask all those interested in the Board and the welfare of the community to be out and show their interest. Watch for date.

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A number of new voices have been heard from CFAC studios recently. We had the pleasure of welcoming two talented stars on the "Good Morning Neighbour" programme, heard daily, 10:15 to 10:45 a.m.

The first was Herman Rimby, who hails from Edmonton and who really turns in a fine job in vocalizing popular selections. In addition, Herman is an excellent dancer and "brought down the house" in a recent appearance on the stage of a local theatre. It is hoped he will be heard regularly in the near future.

Another newcomer to the CFAC microphone is "Toots" Lang who has just recently been placed on "Good Morning Neighbour" as a guest artist every Thursday morning. Miss Lang, although new to CFAC, has done considerable work before the little black box, and her styling of popular numbers are sure to please.

HIDDEN TALENT

While we're speaking of talent we cannot let this opportunity go by without adding a word of praise to the many contestants who have appeared on the CFAC Southern Alberta Amateur Contest, being conducted from various towns in the part of the province. The types of artistic ability are numerous, and we know if you've listened to any of the amateur broadcasts you'll agree that many show definitely the promise of "stars in the making". At this point it occurs to us to be very pleased about the fact that we will not be doing any of the judging ourselves, particularly in the finals.

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Stauffer	\$15,324.03
Waterloo	\$2,467.91

Unorganized Districts collected by the Department of Municipal Affairs \$2,498.29

The last three municipalities named had only a small portion of their municipalities within the School division.

The board decided to place all the insurance on the school

properties with Lloyds of London, having obtained a much better rate. The present policies will be absorbed as they expire.

The secretary was instructed to notify the local secretaries and teachers that in districts where community arrangements are made to take the school children to Calgary to see Their Majesties a school holiday would be declared for May 26th. The teachers will be required to help in the organization and supervise the children in transit and while in Calgary. It was suggested that adequate assistance be

furnished the teachers in a ratio of one adult, preferably a parent for each group of four pupils.

The Easter holidays were set from April 7th to April 14th, both days inclusive.

The salary schedule committee reported progress and Mr. W. H. A. Thomas was appointed representative for the Division on the Permanent Salary Schedule Committee for the division adjacent to Calgary.

It was decided that in Schools where grade 9 or high school grades were taught or where the enrollment is an excess of 20, beginners would only be admitted on September 1st.

The next meeting date was set for Saturday April 22nd.

King George VI

A HISTORY IN
THIRTY
CHAPTERS



CHAPTER SIXTEEN

"Kings are like stars: they rise and fall, they have The worship of the world, but no repose."

—Shelley.

When the late King George the Fifth conferred the title of the Duke of York on his second son, Prince Albert, who later became the sixth holder of this title to become the King, it marked the shortest lapse of time that British Royalty did not possess this title. Since it was not an hereditary title from the time of King Edward the Fourth, it was natural that this gift of the sovereign to a brother or son should lapse now and again in the history of the British Royalty.

From 1385 when King Richard the Second created this title for his brother who had conducted a fight against the Scots to the time when the son of Richard Plantagenet became King Edward the Fourth, the Dukes of York were holders of an hereditary honour but after that time it lost this distinction. In fact, there were no Dukes of York for a long time but in 1605 it was once more bestowed by King James the First. There were many occasions in history after this event when once again there was no Duke of York in British Royalty, with the longest lapse being from 1827 to 1892 when the late King George the Fifth became the Duke of Cornwall and York. Then for nineteen years it did not exist since the late King George the Fifth relinquished this title and it was only revived when he conferred it again on the present King in 1920.

There is an extremely interesting story behind this Dukedom and its episodes recount some of the most exciting and tragic chapters in the history of British Royalty, surpassing in romance and action the records of the

men who held the title of the Prince of Wales or Heir Apparent, though the popular notion is contrary to this idea. Nevertheless, history shows that six Dukes of York became Kings, one was murdered, one was executed, two died in exile, two were killed on battle fields and two were recorded as the greatest lovers who ever sat on the throne. But the most exciting chapters relate that this title was very popular with the old Pretender, "King James the Third of England," who opposed the real King of England, George the First, and time and again he conferred this title on some favorite. Furthermore, the old Pretender bestowed the subsidiary titles of the Dukedom of York, namely, the Earl of Inverness and the Baron of Kilmarney, upon two of his friends, John Hay and the Hon. Alex. Murray, he conferred the title of the Earl of Inverness. Both men served the Pretender in his efforts at rebellion, with John Hay escaping from England after the unsuccessful rebellion of the Jacobites in 1715 and the Hon. Alex. Murray following this example after the rebellion of 1750.

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Floral U.F.W.A. Annual Calico Ball

A large and appreciative crowd danced to the music of "Harry Hall's Old Time" Orchestra, on Friday last, when the Floral U.F.W.A. held its 10th Annual Calico Ball.

The prize winners were as follows:

Prettiest Calico dress (ready made) Mrs. John English.

Prettiest Calico dress (home made) Miss McTavish.

Best St. Patrick's Costume, Miss Hazel Sackett.

Holder of the lucky ticket on the Canary was Alvin McCool, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCool.

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COUNCIL MEETINGS

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Sunday School, 12 noon

Evening Service, 8 o'clock

Abernethy School 3:00 p.m.

Curling Meeting

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the President to present a brief to the Village fathers at an early date regarding this matter. The committee appointed consisted of Wm. Stralo, C. H. McMillan and M. N. Jones. The plans called for three sheets of ice, requiring a building approximately 174 feet long by 48 feet wide with a shingle roof. Roughly speaking, the financing plans hinged on a scheme whereby the Curling Club would repay the Village over a period of 12 years and would not entail any addition to the present Village Mill Rate.

T. Tredaway, President of the Crossfield and district Board of Trade, was an interested guest. He spoke briefly congratulating the Curling Club Officers for the businesslike way they handle their affairs and the cordial relationship existing among all members of the curling fraternity, including town and country ladies and men.

He also observed with pleasure that the officers had permitted the use of the rink to the High School pupils for a bonspiel.

The best story of the evening was told by Bill Stralo.

We notice C. C. Stafford is making some interior and exterior improvements, Messrs J. A. Sackett and McCaskill Bros. are doing the work.

NATIONAL SURVEY OF
RETURNED SOLDIERS

(continued from last week)

The registration is not in any way compulsory but those who have undertaken it feel certain that it will be nevertheless almost one hundred percent effective.

The Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion yesterday took the first steps towards making the survey in Alberta in so far as the Members of the Legion are concerned by appointing Committees to take charge of this work.

The Committee appointed for the City of Calgary is: Mr. R. W. Henderson, Chairman of the Command, and Mr. W. Bullard, Dominion Representative of the Command.

The Committee appointed for the Province is: Mr. Hugh C. Farthing, K.C., Representative, T. V. Section, Mr. D. W. Morgan Representative, Imperial Division, and Mr. R. B. Wilson, Honorary Treasurer of the Command.

In view of the uncertainty of the International situation, the making of this Survey at this time is a valuable and indeed an essential contribution to the welfare of Canada and the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion feels that all ex-soldiers will respond immediately and wholeheartedly to the call to National Duty.

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Board of Trade Meeting

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tary and had been instructed to write to the teachers of the schools in this district. He had written to eighteen, explaining that a school would be ready for the children from this district, where the parade would pass, enabling all the children to see Their Majesties on May 26th.

Re-Madden-Crossfield Road

It was agreed that the Public Affairs committee approach Mr. G. Murdoch re the improving of the Madden-Crossfield road, west as far as Sunshine School, which is in Mr. Murdoch's district.

Mr. H. Mitchem was present at the meeting and explained that this road was too low for gravel and that if graded and raised would be better, and would also prepare it for gravel later on.

Election of Officers

The Officers for the ensuing year are as follows:

F. Collicutt, Hon. President; O. E. Jones, President; F. Laut, 1st Vice - President, R. D. Sutherland, 2nd Vice-President A. E. Edlund, Secretary.

The Public Affairs committee comprising W. Laut, C. H. McMillan and E. Meyers, was re-elected.

The Agricultural committee was re-elected with the exception of O. E. Jones, who was replaced by T. Tredaway, and F. Laut was elected chairman. The committee comprises: F. Laut, T. Tredaway, T. M. Mair, R. D. Sutherland, A. S. Gough, J. Munro, J. P. Metheral.

The Sports committee was re-elected, but R. E. Green having left the district, M. N. Jones was elected to take his place. The members are D. J. Hall, M. N. Jones, G. Murdoch, G. Ainscough and R. D. Sutherland.

The Entertainment committee worked together nicely last year and was re-elected in block comprising H. A. Bannister, T. Mair, A. D. Currie and M. N. Jones.

The Merchants committee was also re-elected in block, comprising S. Willis, H. A. Bannister and W. L. Shantz.

The Membership committee being the poorest, T. Tredaway was elected chairman and asked to choose his own colleagues, which we were unable to obtain at the time of going to press.

Thanks

Votes of thanks were moved (turn back to page 6 col. 1)

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